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Cases of diphtheria reported to State health officers January to September, 1921, and median number of cases, 1913–1920—Continued.

	Cases reported during—									Total.
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	
New York:										
1921	3,493	3,354	2,887	2,504	2,362	2,260	1,111	1,078	.....	.....
Median (8 years)	2,113	1,887	1,942	1,780	1,970	1,981	1,347	998	1,117	15,135
North Carolina:										
1921	202	122	127	91	72	60	151	535	1,160	2,520
Median (1918–1920)	83	72	79	91	71	43	65	177	602	1,283
North Dakota:										
1921	172	94	66	43	49	29	60	48	52	613
Median (4 years)	35	37	49	27	22	25	36	29	47	307
Ohio:										
9121	1,057	961	663	640	657	569	512	842	2,077	7,978
Median (7 years)	681	563	590	410	392	361	330	392	700	4,428
Oklahoma:										
1921	126	61	56	19	38	20	18	52	176	566
Median (1913, 1915, 1917)	88	71	56	49	32	15	27	45	82	465
Oregon:										
1921	86	173	79	64	48	55	133	80	121	839
Median (8 years)	27	22	20	19	25	23	13	15	18	182
Pennsylvania:										
1921	1,982	1,802	1,729	1,343	1,354	1,132	816	1,142	1,640	12,940
Median (8 years)	1,524	1,225	1,152	1,027	902	850	780	834	1,327	9,621
Rhode Island										
1921	114	103	114	94	117	47	51	31	57	728
Median (6 years)	112	108	94	77	86	68	55	54	69	723
South Carolina:										
1921	129	122	229	43	69	64	116	275	578	1,625
Median (8 years)	97	75	70	63	47	48	52	154	329	935
South Dakota:										
1921	23	43	45	59	17	25	30	20	59	321
Median (6 years)	28	14	21	22	15	17	26	23	14	180
Vermont:										
1921	19	21	25	27	18	20	22	.....	43	.....
Median (7 years)	37	17	17	25	18	13	22	20	26	195
Virginia:										
1921	439	247	178	93	90	119	216	471	.....	.....
Median (8 years)	223	147	103	81	67	51	65	181	420	1,338
Washington:										
1921	135	118	98	79	99	79	76	53	109	846
Median (8 years)	64	51	49	44	48	36	35	33	39	399
West Virginia:										
1921	263	158	142	100	61	66	92	175	400	1,457
Median (4 years)	66	56	49	41	43	35	41	68	159	558
Wisconsin:										
1921	672	483	333	278	279	203	180	237	320	2,985
Median (8 years)	237	161	147	159	159	129	137	138	156	1,423
Wyoming:										
1921	6	13	10	11	14	2	4	4	19	83
Median (8 years)	5	8	4	4	1	1	3	1	9	36
Total:										
1921	17,885	14,858	13,232	11,312	10,807	9,662	7,532	[1]10,034	.....	.....
Median	10,950	8,656	8,699	7,553	7,640	6,845	6,000	5,997	9,176	71,516
Annual rate per 100,000 population:										
1921	235	196	174	149	142	127	99	132	.....	.....
Median	152	120	121	105	106	95	83	83	128	110

[1] Iowa and Vermont not included.

DEATHS DURING WEEK ENDED OCT. 15, 1921.

Summary of information received by telegraph from industrial insurance companies for week ended Oct. 15, 1921, and corresponding week, 1920. (From the Weekly Health Index, Oct. 18, 1921, issued by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.)

	Week ended Oct. 15, 1921.	Corresponding week, 1920.
Policies in force	47,875,785	44,752,436
Number of death claims	6,833	6,841
Death claims per 1,000 policies in force	7.4	8.0

Deaths from all causes in certain large cities of the United States during the week ended Oct. 15, 1921, infant mortality, annual death rate, and comparison with corresponding week of preceding years. (From the Weekly Health Index, Oct. 18, 1921, issued by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.)

City.	Estimated population July 1, 1921.	Week ended Oct. 15, 1921.		Average annual death rate per 1,000.[2]	Deaths under 1 year.		Infant mortality rate, week ended Oct. 15, 1921.[3]
		Total deaths.	Death rate.[1]		Week ended Oct. 15, 1921.	Previous year or years.[2]	
Akron, Ohio	229,195	28	6.4	[4] 8.8	5	[4] 3	48
Albany, N. Y	115,071	26	11.8	C 11.0	3	C 2	67
Atlanta, Ga	207,473	50	12.6	C 15.9	2	C 10	.....
Baltimore, Md	752,863	196	13.6	A 14.7	40	A 37	112
Birmingham, Ala	186,133	55	15.4	A 16.2	7	A 8	.....
Boston, Mass	757,634	183	12.6	A 15.7	22	A 41	59
Bridgeport, Conn	149,967	21	7.3	A 13.0	3	A 8	38
Buffalo, N. Y	519,608	114	11.4	C 12.3	15	C 37	58
Cambridge, Mass	110,444	22	10.4	A 11.2	4	A 3	72
Camden, N. J	119,672	32	13.9	.....	8	.....	119
Chicago, Ill	2,780,655	564	10.6	A 13.1	85	A 132	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio	403,418	97	12.5	C 14.4	11	C 11	73
Cleveland, Ohio	831,138	161	10.1	C 10.6	25	C 30	67
Columbus, Ohio	245,358	74	15.7	C 11.7	9	C 7	104
Dallas, Tex	165,282	40	12.6	A 12.1	6	A 5	.....
Dayton, Ohio	158,119	36	11.9	C 9.1	8	C 12	131
Denver, Colo	263,152	64	12.7	A 11.5	6	.....	.....
Detroit, Mich	1,070,450	184	9.0	C 10.5	44	C 62	83
Fall River, Mass	120,668	25	10.8	C 16.0	9	C 14	135
Grand Rapids, Mich	141,197	40	14.8	C 7.9	10	C 3	169
Houston, Tex	144,340	40	14.5	.....	1	.....	.....
Indianapolis, Ind	325,215	76	12.2	C 9.0	15	C 10	117
Jersey City, N. J	302,788	54	9.3	C 11.3	7	C 15	48
Kansas City, Kans	103,884	34	17.1	C 14.3	4	C 3	95
Kansas City, Mo	336,157	114	17.7	C 10.2	21	C 13	.....
Los Angeles, Calif	611,921	147	12.5	A 10.4	15	A 12	71
Louisville, Ky	236,083	81	17.9	C 13.1	11	C 9	127
Lowell, Mass	113,757	17	7.8	A 18.1	2	A 11	52
Memphis, Tenn	165,389	45	14.2	.....	2	.....	.....
Milwaukee, Wis	468,386	94	10.5	A 10.6	24	A 21	116
Minneapolis, Minn	392,815	83	11.0	C 11.0	8	C 12	46
Nashville, Tenn	122,036	35	15.0	C 13.6	4	C 2	.....
New Bedford, Mass	125,012	28	11.7	A 13.8	11	A 11	169
New Haven, Conn	167,007	33	10.3	C 10.2	6	C 8	71
New Orleans, La	394,657	126	16.6	A 18.7	19	A 14	.....
New York, N. Y	5,751,867	1,019	9.2	C 9.3	154	C 185	60
Newark, N. J	424,885	72	8.8	C 8.7	14	C 12	62
Norfolk, Va	121,260	23	9.9	.....	6	.....	106
Oakland, Calif	226,472	39	9.0	A 9.8	5	A 3	63
Omaha, Nebr	197,066	64	16.9	.....	10	.....	115
Paterson, N. J	137,463	34	12.9	.....	8	.....	135
Philadelphia, Pa	1,866,212	386	10.8	[4] 14.2	60	[4] 85	72
Pittsburgh, Pa	602,452	125	10.8	C 11.2	20	C 30	71
Portland, Oreg	264,859	63	12.4	C 9.2	5	C 5	50
Providence, R. I	239,645	56	12.2	C 11.2	10	C 11	81
Richmond, Va	175,086	49	14.5	C 18.1	9	C 12	110
Rochester, N. Y	395,229	67	11.4	C 10.1	9	C 15	70
St. Louis, Mo	786,164	164	10.9	C 11.2	13	C 25	.....
St. Paul, Minn	237,781	46	10.1	C 10.8	0	C 8	0
Salt Lake City, Utah	121,595	25	10.7	A 13.8	5	.....	77
San Francisco, Calif	520,546	94	9.4	C 14.6	6	C 5	35
Seattle, Wash	327,227	48	7.6	A 7.3	3	A 5	25
Springfield, Mass	135,877	28	10.7	C 9.1	3	C 1	45
Syracuse, N. Y	177,265	36	10.6	C 14.1	9	C 10	108
Toledo, Ohio	253,696	62	12.7	A 13.7	6	A 10	60
Trenton, N. J	122,760	40	17.0	A 17.7	8	A 10	122
Washington, D. C	454,026	112	12.9	A 14.1	10	A 15	58
Wilmington, Del	113,408	16	7.4	C 8.4	3	.....	.....
Worcester, Mass	184,972	55	15.5	C 15.2	11	C 5	118
Yonkers, N. Y	103,324	13	6.6	A 12.6	2	A 7	45

[1] Annual rate per 1,000 population.
[2] "A" indicates data for the corresponding week of the years 1913 to 1917, inclusive. "C" indicates data for the corresponding week of the year 1920.
[3] Deaths under 1 year per 1,000 births—an annual rate based on deaths under 1 year for the week and estimated births for 1920. Cities left blank are not in the registration area for births.
[4] Data based on statistics of 1915, 1916, and 1917.